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**A N N U A L  
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**TOWN OF  
L O N D O N D E R R Y**  
**New Hampshire**



**For the Year Ending  
DECEMBER THIRTY-FIRST  
1954**



**Annual Reports**  
OF THE  
**Selectmen and Other**  
**Town Officers**  
OF  
**Londonderry, N. H.**  
**Year Ending December 31**  
**1954**

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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Moderator

DRAPER W. PARMENTER

Representative

DRAPER W. PARMENTER

Town Clerk

MATTIE M. ADAMS

### Office Hours

	A.M.		P.M.
Monday	9	to	5
Tuesday	9	to	5
Thursday	9	to	5
Friday	9	to	5
Saturday	9	to	12M
Tuesday and Friday Evenings			
	7	to	9

Treasurer

BEULAH CROSBY

Tax Collector

RUTH H. AVERY

### Office Hours

Town Hall—First Thursday Each Month

2:00 to 4:00 P. M.

Selectmen

G. MOODY CURRIER

JOHN E. RAY

MILLARD E. NOYES

Office Hours

Town Hall, First and Third Thursdays 2 to 4 P. M.

Auditors

DANIEL F. HICKS

CHAS. H. HALL

THOMAS C. SUMNER

Highway Agent

GEORGE THOMOPOULOS

Supervisors of Check List

JOHN SIVES

FREDERICK BALL

PAUL WEYMOUTH

Trust Officers

G. MOODY CURRIER

JOHN E. RAY

MILLARD E. NOYES

Librarian

CHARLOTTE SMITH

## TOWN WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Londonderry in the  
County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in  
Town Affairs :

(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said  
Londonderry on Tuesday, the eighth day of March, next  
at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following  
subjects :

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year  
ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary  
to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make  
appropriations of the same.

3. To raise money for the repair of roads and bridges,  
for Memorial Day, and for other articles embraced in this  
Warrant.

4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to  
borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see what rate of discount the Town will allow  
on taxes for the ensuing year.

6. To see if the Town will accept State Aid for the  
construction of Class V roads, and raise or set aside for said  
purpose the sum of \$986.30, the State to contribute \$6,575.32.

7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$1,800.00  
to tar and finish No. 8 School Road.

8. By petition; To authorize and instruct the Selectmen,  
and the Road Agent of the Town of Londonderry to grade  
and tar top surface that road known as Perkins Road in

Londonderry from one end at Stone Henge Road to its termination at Route number twenty eight, and appropriate the necessary funds.

9. By petition ; To authorize and demand that the Selectmen of the Town of Londonderry instruct the Road Agent of Londonderry to purchase a second hand, road grader for amount not to exceed two thousand dollars.

10. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell lots in Pinkerton Cemetery.

11. To see if the Town will vote to accept in trust the following legacies for care of Cemetery lots.

Pleasant View Cemetery	
Alex and Jessie Martel	\$100.00
Everett B. Ellis	100.00
Valley Cemetery	
Harriett Young	200.00
Valley—Glenwood—Pinkerton Cemeteries	
Wallace P. Mack lots	500.00

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this eighteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty five.

G. MOODY CURRIER  
JOHN E. RAY  
MILLARD E. NOYES

Selectmen of Londonderry

A true copy of Warrant—Attest :

G. MOODY CURRIER  
JOHN E. RAY  
MILLARD E. NOYES

Selectmen of Londonderry



# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

## Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expendi-

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1954	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1954	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1955
FROM STATE:			
Interest on Dividends Tax ...	\$700.00	\$790.57	\$700.00
For Fighting Forest Fires ....	.....	94.70	.....
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance .....	.....	31.25	32.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:			
Dog Licenses .....	600.00	846.00	600.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees .....	100.00	314.00	50.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings .....	.....	46.50	50.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits .....	100.00	305.01	100.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees ..	400.00	7,478.92	5,000.00
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:			
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2 ..	1,400.00	1,568.00	1,400.00
National Bank Stock Taxes ..	50.00	69.00	50.00
TOTAL REVENUE FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPER- TY TAXES .....	7,950.00	11,543.95	7,950.00
AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PRO- PERTY TAXES .....	81,683.43	90,693.05	101,247.72

# LONDONDERRY, N. H.

Year January 1, 1955 to December 31, 1955, Compared with  
tures of the Previous Year Jan. 1, 1954 to December 31, 1954

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1954	Actual Expendi- tures Previous Year 1954	Estimated Expendi- tures Ensuing Year 1955
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES			
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$1,700.00	\$1,955.00	\$1,900.00
Town Officers' Expenses .....	900.00	1,215.22	1,300.00
Election and Registration Exp.	300.00	372.75	115.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other			
Town Buildings .....	500.00	490.15	1,000.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:			
Police Department .....	500.00	235.61	300.00
Fire Department .....	1,500.00	1,314.10	1,500.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust & Care of Trees .....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
HEALTH:			
Health Department .....	25.00	25.00	25.00
Vital Statistics .....	50.00	51.50	50.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:			
No. 8, (\$3,411.76)			
Hurricane (\$6 848.83)			
Town Maintenance—Summer .	3,000.00	12,988.88	3,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter ..	5,000.00	5,956.40	5,000.00
Street Lighting .....	250.00	242.11	250.00
General Expenses of Highway Department .....	200.00	171.91	1,500.00
Town Road Aid.....	980.71	980.71	986.30
LIBRARIES .....	150.00	150.00	150.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Town Poor .....	3,500.00	3,783.49	3,500.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Association .....	125.00	125.00	125.00
RECREATION:			
Parks and Playground, Incl. Band Concerts .....	250.00	.....	200.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:			
Cemeteries .....	250.00	.....	250.00
UNCLASSIFIED:			
Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage .....	75.00	222.11	75.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:			
New Equipment .....	500.00	.....	500.00
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:			
County Taxes .....	6,000.00	6,611.38	6,500.00
School Taxes .....	74,853.69	64,279.06	79,971.42
TOTAL EXPENDITURES ..	\$106,708.40	\$121,064.64	\$109,197.72

## SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Lands and Buildings	\$1,454,477.00
Electric Plants	396,057.00
Horses (50)	5,550.00
Cows (380)	38,000.00
Other Neat Stock (42)	2,200.00
Sheep and Goats (30)	300.00
Hogs (3)	60.00
Fowls (22,861)	22,861.00
Fur-bearing Animals (34)	340.00
Portable Mills (4)	3,300.00
Road Building and Well Drilling Machinery	1,700.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	6,500.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	3,385.00
Stock in Trade	90,075.00
Mills and Machinery	11,000.00
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Total Gross Valuation	
Before Exemptions Allowed	\$2,035,805.00
Less: Soldier's Exemptions and	
Exemptions To Blind	143,900.00
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Net Valuation on Which Tax Rate	
Is Computed	\$1,891,905.00

# FINANCIAL REPORT

of the

## TOWN OF LONDONDERRY

In Rockingham County

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1954

### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

G. MOODY CURRIER

JOHN E. RAY

MILLARD E. NOYES

Selectmen of Londonderry

January 21, 1955

# TOWN OF LONDONDERRY

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets

#### Cash :

In hands of treasurer	\$31,201.88
In hand of officials	3,923.83

#### Unredeemed Taxes :

Levy of 1954	541.54
Levy of 1953	17.66

#### Uncollected Taxes :

Levy of 1954	12,908.34
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1954	960.00

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Total Assets	\$49,553.25
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Grand Total	\$49,553.25
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Surplus, December 31, 1953	\$12,890.87
Surplus, December 31, 1954	8,448.56

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Decrease of Surplus	\$4,442.31
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## Liabilities

### Accounts Owed by the Town:

Town Park	800.00
Town Hall	400.00
Reserve a/c Future Yield Tax Loss	3,434.38

### Due to State:

State Head Taxes—1954	
Uncollected	960.00
Due to Precincts	35,510.31

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Total Liabilities	\$41,104.69
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Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	8,448.56
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Grand Total	\$49,553.25
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## RECEIPTS AND

## Receipts

## Current Revenue:

## From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes—Current Year	\$80,963.86	
Poll Taxes—Current Year		
Regular @ \$2	1,294.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	69.00	
Yield Taxes	779.28	
State Head Taxes @ \$5	4,095.00	
Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted		\$87,201.14
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes— Previous Years		9,967.74

## Poll Taxes—Previous Years

Regular @ \$2	274.00	
State Head Taxes @ \$5		
Previous Years	820.00	
Interest received on Taxes	305.01	
Penalties on State Head Taxes	94.00	
Tax sales redeemed	354.08	

## From State

Tar account	5,638.30	
Gas Tax	28.13	
Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	161.46	
Head Tax	39.88	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	31.25	5,599.02

## From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	846.00	
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	314.00	
Rent of town property	46.50	
Income from trust funds	621.50	
Income from departments	49.40	

## CLASSIFICATION

### PAYMENTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1954

#### Payments

##### Current Maintenance Expenses:

###### General Government:

Town officer's salaries	\$1,955.00
Town officer's expenses	1,215.22
Election and registration expenses	372.75
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	490.15

###### Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	235.61
Fire department, including forest fires	1,314.10
Volunteer Fire Dept.	1,000.00
Insurance	168.75

###### Health:

Vital statistics	51.50
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###### Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	980.71
Town Maintenance	18,945.28
Street lighting	242.11
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	170.91

###### Libraries:

Libraries	150.00
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###### Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	3,319.97
Town poor	463.52

###### Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and Veteran's Associations	125.00
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## RECEIPTS AND

Income from Individuals		
For Cemeteries	292.02	
Registration of motor vehicles,		
1953 Permits	139.08	
Registration of motor vehicles,		
1954 Permits	7,339.84	9,648.34
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of		
taxes during year	4,983.34	
Insurance adjustments	8.20	
Return on Fires	94.70	
Social Security	75.92	
Sale of town property	361.35	5,523.51
Total Receipts from All Sources		<hr/> \$120,086.84
Cash on hand January 1, 1954		31,201.88
Grand Total		<hr/> \$151,288.72

## PAYMENTS (Continued)

### Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	965.14	
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### Unclassified:

Damage and legal expenses, Dogs	221.11	
Auto permits	605.00	
Taxes bought by town	879.50	
Employees' Retirement and		
Social Security Withholding	803.73	2,288.23

### Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in		
anticipation of taxes	5,000.00	

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Total Interest Payments		\$5,000.00
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### Outlay for New Construction, Equip- ment and Permanent Improvements:

Highways and Bridges—Town		
construction	412.90	
Tar	5,000.00	
Cutting brush	479.29	

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Total Outlay Payments		\$5,892.19
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### Payments to Other

#### Governmental Divisions

Comm. on Head Tax	141.45	
State Head Taxes paid to		
State Treasurer	4,464.50	
Taxes paid to County	6,611.38	
Payments to School Districts	64,279.06	75,496.39

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Total Payments for all Purposes		\$121,064.64
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Cash on hand December 31, 1954		30,224.08
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Grand Total		\$151,288.72
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## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

### Description and Value

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$10,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	350.00
Libraries—Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
Police Department—Equipment	50.00
Highway Department—Equipment	2,000.00
Fire Department Equipment	100.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	800.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	125,000.00
Equipment	10,000.00
Jones Land	100.00
Campbell Land	100.00
Cutler Meadow	10.00
Pressey Meadow	10.00
Osmond Corthell 1/3 of 70 Acres	400.00
Gage land, No. 9 E. by Derry	25.00
Goodwin land	65.00
Gage land	50.00
Coach heirs land	200.00
Beckford land	20.00
Mountain Home Farm	750.00
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	\$150,930.00

## CERTIFICATES

This is to certify that the information in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

G. MOODY CURRIER  
JOHN E. RAY  
MILLARD E. NOYES

**Selectmen**

BEULAH CROSBY

**Treasurer**

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

### Received From Automobiles :

1953	\$ 139.08
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1954	7,339.84
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	\$7,478.92
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Dogs	\$846.00
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Filling Fees	14.00
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	\$8,338.92
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MATTIE M. ADAMS

Town Clerk

# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES

LEVY OF 1954

Dr.

#### Taxes Committed to Collector :

Property Taxes	\$94,561.40
Poll Taxes	1,672.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	56.00

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Total Warrant	\$96,289.40
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Yield Taxes	966.89
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#### Added Taxes :

Property Taxes	45.00
National Bank Stock	13.00
Poll Taxes	20.00
Interest Collected	3.53

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Total Debits	\$97,337.82
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#### Remittance to Treasurer :

Property Taxes	\$80,963.86
Poll Taxes	1,294.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	69.00
Yield Taxes	779.28
Interest Collected	3.53
Discounts Allowed	436.70
Abatements	379.50

#### Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List :

Property Taxes	12,908.34
Poll Taxes	316.00
Yield Taxes	187.61

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Total Credits	\$97,337.82
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# SUMMARY OF WARRANT

## STATE HEAD TAX

LEVY OF 1954

### Dr.

#### State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$5,060.00	
Added Taxes	90.00	
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Total Commitment		\$5,150.00
Penalties Collected		12.50
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Total Debits		\$5,162.50

### Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$4,095.00	
Penalties	12.50	
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		\$4,107.50
Abatements		95.00
Uncollected Head Taxes:		
as per Collectors List		960.00
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Total Credits		\$5,162.50

# SUMMARY OF WARRANT

## PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES

### LEVY OF 1953

#### Dr.

#### Uncollected Taxes—As of Jan. 1, 1954:

Property Taxes	\$9,729.19
Poll Taxes	292.00
Yield Taxes	83.85

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\$10,105.04

#### Added Taxes:

Yield Taxes	\$154.70
Poll Taxes	20.00

#### Interest Collected During Fiscal Year

Ended Dec. 31, 1954	296.45
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\$10,576.19

#### Cr.

#### Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1954:

Property Taxes	\$9,729.19
Poll Taxes	274.00
Yield Taxes	238.55
Interest Collected During Year	296.45
Abatements Made During Year	38.00

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\$10,576.19

# SUMMARY OF WARRANT

## STATE HEAD TAX

### LEVY OF 1953

#### Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1954:	\$885.00
Added Taxes During 1954	65.00
Penalties Collected During 1954	81.50

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Total Debits	\$1,031.50
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#### Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer During 1954:	
Head Taxes	\$820.00
Penalties	81.50
Abatements	130.00

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Total Credits	\$1,031.50
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# SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

as of December 31, 1954

## Dr.

Tax Sales on account of Levies of

1953                      1952                      1951

Taxes Sold to Town During			
Current Fiscal Year	\$879.50		
Balance of Unredeemed			
Taxes— Jan. 1, 1954		57.88	74.86
Interest Collected After			
Sale	3.00	2.03	
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Total Debits	\$882.50	\$59.91	\$74.86

## Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer			
During Year	\$330.18	\$28.93	
Deeded To Town	10.78	13.32	74.86
Unredeemed Taxes—			
At Close of Year	541.54	17.66	
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Total Credits	\$882.50	\$59.91	\$74.86

Unredeemed Taxes From Tax Sale On Account Of Levies Of

1953	1952
\$13.46	17.66
4.66	
8.30	
139.23	
60.77	
4.17	
116.56	
36.37	
114.11	
39.92	
3.99	

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\$541.54

RUTH H. AVERY

Tax Collector

# TREASURER'S REPORT

1954

Cash on hand January 1, 1954	\$31,201.88
Received from Ruth H. Avery, Tax Collector:	
1954—Property Taxes	80,963.86
Poll Taxes	1,294.00
Interest	3.53
Yield Taxes	779.28
Head Taxes	4,095.00
Penalties	12.50
Bank Stock Taxes	69.00
1953—Property Taxes	9,729.19
Poll Taxes	274.00
Interest	296.45
Head Taxes	820.00
Penalties	81.50
Yield Taxes	238.55
1953—Redeemed Taxes	327.18
Interest	3.00
1952—Redeemed Taxes	26.90
Interest	2.03
Received from M. M. Adams, Town Clerk:	
1954—Auto Permits	7,339.84
1953—Auto Permits	139.08
1954—Dog Licenses	846.00
1954—Filing Fees	14.00
Received from State of New Hampshire:	
Savings Bank and Railroad Tax	161.46
Reimbursement for Old Age Assistance	31.25
Reimbursement for State Head Tax	39.88
Class V Roads	5,638.30
Road Toll	28.13
One-half of Fire Bill	44.70
Received from Selectmen:	
Sale of Town Property	361.35
Reimbursement for Social Security	75.92
Income from Trust Funds	621.50
Balance Road Agents A/C	49.40
License for Race Track	150.00

License for Race Track—1955	150.00
Dividend on Auto Insurance	7.20
Sale of Book	1.00
Rent of Town Hall	46.50
Care of Cemeteries	292.02
Payment on Walker Fire	50.00
Loan from First National Bank	4,983.34
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Total Receipts	\$151,288.72
Savings Bank Account	3,923.83
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	155,212.55
Less Selectmens orders paid	121,064.64
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Cash on hand January 1, 1955	\$34,147.91

BEULAH CROSBY

Town Treasurer

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

G. Moody Currier	\$448.00
John E. Ray	340.00
Millard E. Noyes	252.00
Ruth H. Avery	500.00
William Lievens	35.00
Beulah Crosby	125.00
Charlotte Smith	120.00
Mattie M. Adams	50.00
Rae Sives	25.00
Charles H. Hall	30.00
D. Frank Hicks	30.00
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	\$1,955.00

### TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

Wheeler & Clark Supplies	\$51.26
E. C. Eastman, Supplies	30.40
Brown & Saltmarch, Supplies	51.51
Town Clerk Association	2.00
Tax Collectors Association	3.00
Assessors Association	3.00
William Lievens	15.00
Inventory Postage	14.25
News-Enterprise Town Reports	456.00
Auto Guide for Town Clerk	19.50
Insurance	322.55
R. H. Avery, Supplies, Postage, Tax Bills	242.95
Remington-Rand	9.32
Elizabeth Whittemore, Clerk	15.00
G. Moody Currier, Postage, etc.	36.00
John E. Ray, Postage-Supplies	30.00
Postage Town Treasurer, Town Clerk	43.23
Charlotte Smith	25.00
Mattie M. Adams	14.00
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	\$1,383.97

### ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

News-Enterprise, Ballots	\$22.75
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Arthur Cross, Constable	15.00
Lizzie Whitemore, Ballot Clerk	15.00
Hazel Hicks, Ballot Clerk	10.00
Irene Thompson, Ballot Clerk	15.00
Mabel Plummer, Ballot Clerk	5.00
Ethel Nugent, Ballot Clerk	5.00
Dale Gale, Ballot Clerk	5.00
D. W. Parmenter, Moderator	24.00
John Sives, Supervisor	88.00
Frederick Ball, Supervisor	48.00
Paul Weymouth, Supervisor	64.00
Donald Smith, Supervisor	40.00
Wallace Kibbe, Supervisor	16.00
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	\$372.75

#### TOWN HALL EXPENSES

N. H. Gas & Electric	\$34.95
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	68.03
A. J. Conner, Insurance	118.95
Willis Cross, Janitor	136.75
Andrew Fyfe, Mowing Grass	20.00
W. E. Hutton, Repairs on Pump	3.00
Tune Piano	5.00
Fuelite Gas Co.	13.00
Wallace Mack, Three Cords Wood	30.00
A. R. Schroder, Saw Wood	13.72
J. R. McKean, Saw Wood	17.64
R. R. Annis, Saw Wood	29.11
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	490.15

#### POLICE EXPENSES

Fred H. Smith	\$135.57
Ralph Stevens	97.54
Paul Weymouth	2.50
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	\$235.61

#### FIRE EXPENSES

Derry Fire District	\$1,100.00
Forestry Department	62.10

Ralph Stevens, Warden	152.00
Londonderry Vol. Dept. Appropriation	1,000.00
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	\$2,314.10

#### DAMAGE BY DOGS AND LEGAL FEES

Mattie M. Adams, Licenses and Tags	\$57.80
Fred H. Smith, Officer	4.36
John W. A. Green, Real Estate Transfers	49.80
Hayford Kimball, Refund	7.61
Ransford Pratt, Officer	102.54
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	\$222.11

#### HEALTH

Mattie M. Adams, Vital Statistics	\$51.50
Rae Sives, Health Officer	25.00
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	\$76.50

#### HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Town Road Aid		\$980.71
Town Maintenance	Summer	\$2,728.29
	Winter	5,956.40
	Withholding	803.73
		9,489.42
No. 8 School House Hill		3,411.76
Hurricane Damage		6,848.83
General Expense		191.20
Street Lighting		242.11
Cutting Brush		459.00

#### LIBRARIES

Charlotte Smith, Approp.	\$150.00
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#### PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Memorial Day	\$125.00
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#### PUBLIC WELFARE

Old Age Assistance	\$3,319.97
Town Poor	
Lawrence Jenkins	\$10.77
Jessie Thompson	20.37
Daniel Boulay	6.95
Josie Linnehan	74.00
Fred Crosby	351.43
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	\$463.52

## CEMETERIES

Care	\$965.14
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## UNCLASSIFIED

Mattie M. Adams, Auto Permits	\$605.00
Taxes Bought by Town	879.50
Bank Loan	5,000.00

## HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Town	\$412.90
Tar	5,000.00

## PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Head Tax	\$4,464.50
County Tax	6,611.38
School District	64,279.06
Commission On Head Tax	141.45

## ROAD AGENTS REPORT

George Thomopoulos

March To December 31, 1954

### Summer Roads—Winter Roads—Hurricane—No. 8 Hill

George Thomopoulos, truck and loader	\$4,139.19
George Thomopoulos, gravel	800.14
George Thomopoulos, plowing	250.00
Richard Moore, truck and bulldozer	3,903.50
Richard Moore, plowing	545.00
Albro E. Snow, road grader	280.00
Norman Gallien, shovel	108.00
Derry Trans. Co., shovel	157.50
Mark Keith, truck	848.00
John Kyriazis, truck	373.50
Patrick Innis, truck	648.00
Bernard Zapor, truck	40.50
Charles Severance, gravel	76.50
Joseph Kobisky, gravel	23.40
Pratts Garage, repairs	110.26
Pillottes Garage, parts	41.51
Willow Run Garage, gas	279.72
Bills Station, gas	93.65
Greenwood Station, gas	10.89
American Motor Ins., insurance on truck	46.00
Rice Inc., tires	114.81
Pine Sales Co., lumber	27.54
Benson Lumber Co., lumber	33.64
Palmer Spring Co., truck spring	21.98
Granite State Asphalt Co., cold patch	175.02
Hume Pipe Co., culverts	159.36
Roy R. Annis, labor	703.70
J. R. McKean, labor	166.55
Richard Coons, labor	224.00
John Fitzbag, labor	122.62
Ralph Floyd, labor	19.18
David Moulton, labor	43.82
Roger Rooks, labor	26.98
Eugene Ruel, labor	16.00
Calvin Keith, labor	7.20
John Plummer, labor	7.20

Carelton Plummer, labor	56.12
James Innle, labor	62.48
Fred Nugent, labor	30.82
Murray Moody, labor	30.82
James Healy, labor	30.82
E. C. Wilson, labor	5.30
Andrew Messier, labor	6.00
Ray Gilcreast, labor	7.84
Henry Roux, labor	43.86
Paul Bubeknyck, labor	15.00
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., parts	336.15
J. H. LaRochelle, M. D., services	11.00
Lees Welding Service	8.50
J. Faltin Express	1.70
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	\$15,291.27

# WINTER ROADS, 1954

To March 18, 1954

William F. Kelley, Agent

Wm. F. Kelley, Agent	\$264.38
J. R. McKean, labor	249.34
R. R. Annis, labor	250.70
G. Thomopoulos, plowing snow	571.00
R. C. Moore, plowing snow	1,275.00
H. Rooks, helper	76.90
R. Rooks, helper	89.00
D. Moulton, helper	56.30
R. Gilchrist, helper	41.70
M. Keith, helper	16.00
K. Keith, helper	12.00
J. Fitzbag, helper	17.00
Londonderry Grain Co., salt	281.25
R. C. Hazelton, supplies	297.00
Hall Bros., Gas & Oil	121.07
Pilottes Garage, repairs	17.07
J. A. Pratt, repairs	12.65
A. Lee, repairs	39.05
J. E. Faltin Express	1.70
H. Dooley, Jr., gravel	6.00
F. Morey, gravel	8.50
J. Clarke, gravel	1.00
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	\$3,704.61
Returned from \$100 Deposit	50.60
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Total	\$3,654.01

## LONDONDERRY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT

To Call Londonderry Fire Dept., tell Operator emergency Fire. She will connect you.

Londonderry has a new Fire House. A cement block building almost complete at a value of \$15,000.00, approximate. Value of equipment, \$5,000.00. Equipment includes two trucks, trailer pump, two portable pumps, a jeep, and an ambulance, fifty seven paid members.

New equipment acquired in 1954, one jeep, one 32 foot ladder, one pump, heating system and lights. Money given by the Ladies Auxiliary in 1954, \$800.00.

### LIST OF FIREMEN

Ralph Stevens, Chief, Tel. 39-21

John McLane, Deputy Warden, Tel. 39-14

Rensford Pratt, Deputy Warden, Tel. 518-4 and 500-11

Leigh Nesmith, Deputy Warden, Tel. 38-4

George Plummer, Deputy Warden

Draper Parmenter, Deputy Warden

### NUMBER OF FIRES IN 1954:

Building and Chimney Fires	22
Brush and Grass Fires	26

We, the Londonderry Fire Dept., wish to extend our thanks to the ones who have made it possible for us to have a Fire Dept. in the Town of Londonderry.

Meeting nights are the third Wednesday of each month, at 7:30 o'clock at the fire house.

Signed,

Londonderry Fire Dept.

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Londonderry, N. H., on December 31, 1954

Date of Creation.	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION.		HOW INVESTED.		Amount of Principal	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
June 15, 1923	Adams, Abbie O., Cemetery	.....	Mechanics Savings Bank	.....	400.00	\$68.37	\$14.15	\$7.50	\$75.02
April 27, 1915	Adams, Alma E., Cemetery	.....	Mechanics Savings Bank	.....	100.00	11.89	3.57	3.80	11.76
Mar. 21, 1914	Adams, John, Cemetery	.....	Manchester Savings Bank	.....	100.00	20.48	3.95	3.00	21.43
Mar. 21, 1914	Adams, Nathan, Cemetery	.....	Manchester Savings Bank	.....	100.00	17.20	3.85	3.00	18.05
Feb. 24, 1911	Alexander, James D., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Savings Bank	.....	200.00	84.22	9.35	8.00	85.57
Jan. 29, 1948	Anderson, Chas. W. & Edm. Cem.	.....	Manchester Savings Bank	.....	100.00	4.60	3.43	3.00	5.03
June 13, 1928	Anderson, Deacon David, Cem.	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	1.02	3.07	3.00	1.09
April 9, 1935	Anderson, George E., Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	150.00	.86	4.57	3.00	2.43
May 27, 1952	Annis, Charles U., Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	.27	3.04	3.00	.31
Oct. 29, 1920	Annis, Henry H., Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	4.53	3.17	3.00	4.80
Nov. 3, 1921	Annis, Samuel W., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	21.48	4.00	3.00	22.48
Sept. 8, 1925	Avery, Mason J., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	8.63	3.55	3.00	9.18
Dec. 2, 1936	Avery, Frank E., Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	8.68	3.29	2.50	9.47
Feb. 17, 1947	Bailey, Charles B., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Savings Bank	.....	100.00	1.66	3.35	3.00	2.01
Apr. 21, 1939	Bagley, Frank, Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	.82	3.05	3.00	.87
Sept. 18, 1928	Bancroft, Wm., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	10.48	3.23	3.00	11.09
Mar. 31, 1920	Barker, Sarah E., Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	6.48	3.10	3.00	6.71
July 13, 1924	Benson, A. J. & Judith, Cem.	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	2.12	3.10	3.00	2.22
Aug. 4, 1924	Berge, Beatrice, Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	200.00	17.52	7.12	6.00	18.62
Nov. 3, 1927	Berry, John W., Cemetery	.....	Mechanics Savings Bank	.....	1,000.00	515.50	43.83	20.00	542.13
Nov. 30, 1937	Blodgett & Evans, Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	7.27	3.51	3.80	7.28
Feb. 18, 1930	Blood, Charles L., Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	1.61	3.09	3.00	1.70
Aug. 25, 1928	Bolles, John, Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	3.96	3.38	3.00	4.34
May 26, 1944	Bolles, Lewis, Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	1.80	3.31	3.00	2.11
April 20, 1923	Boles & Norcross, Cemetery	.....	Mechanics Savings Bank	.....	200.00	10.00	6.93	6.00	10.93
Dec. 10, 1941	Boyer, Horace G., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	4.83	3.15	3.00	4.98
Mar. 13, 1920	Boyer, Persis G., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	4.59	3.41	3.00	5.00
Mar. 14, 1956	Boyd, Walter T., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Savings Bank	.....	100.00	17.57	3.87	3.00	18.54
Nov. 3, 1937	Boyd, Walter T., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Savings Bank	.....	100.00	5.28	3.45	3.00	5.73
Jan. 28, 1914	Bradley, Silas H., Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	100.00	.79	3.05	3.00	.84
Nov. 13, 1926	Breen, Anna P., Cemetery	.....	Manchester Savings Bank	.....	200.00	5.08	6.23	6.00	5.31
July 10, 1944	Brickett, Elizabeth, Cemetery	.....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	6.80	3.50	3.00	7.30
Jan. 24, 1938	Brooks, Catherine, Cemetery	.....	Amoskeag Savings Bank	.....	300.00	5.94	3.45	3.00	6.39
			Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	27.08	9.94	7.00	30.02
			Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	.....	100.00	.56	3.29	3.00	.85

Mar. 14, 1936	Brooks, James L., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	10.17	3.52	3.00	10.79
Feb. 9, 1949	Brooks, E. W. & Edward I. F., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	200.00	3.09	6.70	6.00	3.79
July 19, 1939	Brown, John S., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	3.89	3.38	3.00	4.27
Jan. 26, 1922	Caldwell, Henry J., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	5.92	3.22	3.00	6.14
Jan. 26, 1922	Caldwell, Jefferson, Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	15.38	3.51	3.50	15.39
July 3, 1933	Campbell, Samuel F., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	37.27	7.19	4.00	40.46
Mar. 18, 1921	Chase, Edmund A., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	9.90	3.34	3.00	10.24
Nov. 19, 1926	Chase, Elizabeth G., Cemetery	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	3.20	3.11	3.00	3.31
Mar. 23, 1951	Chase, Josephine L., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	100.00	8.31	3.58	3.00	9.89
Aug. 15, 1951	Chase, John M., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	200.00	6.18	6.75	3.00	9.93
Jan. 24, 1948	Chase, Truworthy D., Cem.	Manchester Savings Bank	300.00	9.41	10.20	8.00	11.61
Jan. 24, 1945	Cheney, Arthur C., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	3.29	3.39	3.00	3.68
Sept. 16, 1910	Colburn, Orra Ann R., Cem.	Amoskeag Savings Bank	300.00	18.26	9.68	8.00	19.94
Apr. 18, 1902	Conant, Eliza J., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	14.55	3.74	3.50	14.79
Apr. 18, 1930	Corning, Alex., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	100.00	24.56	4.09	3.00	25.65
Feb. 27, 1932	Corning, Samuel, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	81	3.29	3.00	1.10
Jan. 18, 1949	Crowell, Frank A., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	10.55	3.53	3.00	11.18
May 9, 1938	Cuburn Fund, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	7.1	3.31	3.00	1.02
June 14, 1924	Coffin, Warren, Library	Manchester Savings Bank	200.00	12.26	7.00	6.00	13.26
May 23, 1941	Colby, Frank N., Cemetery	Mechanics Savings Bank	1 000.00	7.87	30.44	30.00	7.87
May 23, 1945	Colby, Eliza A., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	200.00	12.49	6.94	6.00	13.43
May 23, 1945	Colby, Margaret, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	3.32	3.39	3.00	3.71
Feb. 5, 1927	Crowell, William H., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	3.32	3.39	3.00	3.71
Aug. 29, 1920	Cutler, Aaron, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank	200.00	7.64	6.79	6.00	8.43
Dec. 22, 1950	Davis, Paul, Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	17.38	6.60	6.00	18.18
Aug. 1, 1906	Dickey, Mabel, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	14.50	1.06	.50		1.56
June 26, 1919	Dickey, Isaac S., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	3.74	6.18	6.00	3.92
July 1, 1955	Dickey, Margaret, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	3.27	3.71	3.00	3.92
Oct. 25, 1950	Dooley, George N., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	200.00	7.23	6.77	6.00	8.00
May 31, 1960	Dooley, George N., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	11.36	3.64	3.00	12.00
Sept. 1, 1953	Dooley, George, Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3.92	3.15	3.00	4.07
June 15, 1923	Ellis, Clifton, Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.00	2.77	2.77	2.77
July 1, 1955	Emerson, John P., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.27	3.38	3.00	1.59
Oct. 25, 1950	Esty, George, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.24	3.32	3.00	1.56
July 31, 1960	Fairfield, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.84	3.35	3.00	2.29
June 15, 1923	Flanders, Zoe A., Welfare Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2.52	2.52		2.52
Apr. 1, 1930	Furber, Edward, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	1 200.00	960.79	70.77		1,031.56
June 17, 1902	Gare, John A., Cemetery	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	12.42	3.39	3.00	12.81
Dec. 8, 1928	Gare, John A., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	1.51	3.31	3.00	1.82
May 28, 1917	Garvin Family	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	8.10	3.35	3.00	8.45
Nov. 3, 1937	Gilcreast & Greeley, Schools Fund	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	5.85	3.45	3.00	9.00
June 28, 1954	Gilcreast, George, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2.90	3.37	3.00	3.27
Mar. 24, 1944	Gilcreast, Samuel, Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	3 000.00	91.36	91.36		91.36
June 9, 1926	Gilcreast, George Washington	Manchester Savings Bank	1,008.25				
Sept. 24, 1947	Goodwin, John, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	3.52	3.41	2.50	4.43
June 4, 1947	Goodwin, Daniel, Cemetery	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	11.22	3.35	3.00	11.57
		Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.67	3.35	3.00	2.02
		Mechanics Savings Bank	200.00	4.07	6.17	6.00	4.24
		Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.91	3.35	3.00	2.26

Feb.	24, 1947	Greeley, Harriet A. ....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	1.16	3.33	2.50	1.99
Nov.	28, 1927	Greeley, Elbridge G., Cemetery ..	Mechanics Savings Bank .....	100.00	9.08	3.29	3.00	9.37
June	9, 1926	Greeley, Emma F., Cemetery ..	Mechanics Savings Bank .....	500.00	2.71	15.18	15.00	2.89
June	27, 1920	Greeley, Eugene O. & J. W., Cem.	Mechanics Savings Bank .....	150.00	4.86	4.67	4.50	5.03
Mar.	2, 1926	Hall G. A. & Cousins, Chas. E. ....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	200.00	4.05	6.74	6.00	4.80
April	5, 1944	Hall, Henry R., Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	200.00	41.69	7.91	200.00	49.60
Mar.	9, 1924	Hardy, Aaron P., Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	200.00	4.37	6.74	6.00	5.11
Mar.	13, 1943	Hardy, George H., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	200.00	11.40	6.95	6.00	12.35
April	3, 1924	Harvell, George P., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank .....	200.00	21.16	7.23	6.00	22.39
Nov.	30, 1923	Heath, Truman P., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	100.00	5.20	3.45	3.00	5.65
Nov.	26, 1916	Healey, Hattie T., Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	1.10	3.30	3.00	1.40
April	21, 1944	Holmes, Mary A., Cemetery .....	Mechanics Savings Bank .....	100.00	69	3.30	3.00	99
Sept.	21, 1944	Kendall, Everett C., Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	13.61	3.43	3.00	14.04
Oct.	20, 1948	Kendall, Florence Pike, Cem. ....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	200.00	19.65	7.22	6.00	20.87
Mar.	31, 1919	Kendall & Mills, Cemetery .....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	100.00	20.99	3.64	3.00	20.73
April	1, 1921	Kimbball, Forest G., Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	200.00	4.88	3.07	3.00	1.28
May	18, 1926	Kimbball, Robie, Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	11.02	6.74	6.00	5.62
May	3, 1926	Knight, Margaret C., Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	14.61	3.76	3.00	11.67
Dec.	30, 1929	Ladd, Betsy, Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	100.00	7.95	3.51	3.00	8.46
Dec.	3, 1935	Lalayette, Charles L., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	1,000.00	2.10	3.33	3.00	2.43
Mar.	4, 1879	Leach Cemetery Fund .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	1,000.00	7.06	32.98	30.00	10.04
April	27, 1928	Lowd, Sadley A., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	1,000.00	12.10	53.16	30.00	15.26
May	6, 1930	Lowd, Wm. B., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	100.00	.42	3.29	3.00	.71
Dec.	29, 1947	Lunt, Charles F., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	100.00	6.68	3.48	3.00	7.16
Jan.	27, 1910	Magoon & Watts, Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	.90	3.31	3.00	1.21
Sept.	30, 1923	McClary, Eliza, Cemetery .....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	500.00	3.29	3.39	3.00	3.68
Sept.	9, 1924	McClary, William, Cemetery .....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	100.00	86.53	17.83	15.00	89.46
Feb.	9, 1924	McGregor, William, Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	200.00	2.25	2.25	6.00	2.25
July	7, 1928	McGregor, Wm. H., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	200.00	7.52	6.77	6.00	8.29
Jan.	23, 1930	McKay, Wm., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	100.00	5.46	3.45	3.00	5.91
June	21, 1907	McCall, Sabrina M., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	100.00	1.33	3.30	3.00	1.63
July	25, 1940	Merrill, Ellen & Alex., Cem. ....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	200.00	7.19	6.30	6.00	7.46
Feb.	13, 1938	Merrill, Oliver, Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	100.00	2.35	3.36	3.00	2.71
May	6, 1946	Merrill, Richard, Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	200.00	20.75	7.22	6.00	21.95
Feb.	11, 1928	Miller, Rattery .....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	100.00	3.76	3.15	3.00	3.91
Aug.	1, 1919	Moore, John A., Cemetery .....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	150.00	4.05	5.06	3.50	5.61
May	9, 1919	Morrison & Boynton, Cem. ....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	200.00	14.32	6.52	3.00	17.84
Mar.	31, 1917	Morrison School Dist. No. 7 Sch.	Manchester Fed. Savings Bank .....	200.00	16.31	7.13	6.00	17.44
Mar.	17, 1949	Morse, Edna G., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	500.00	245.59	24.41	270.00	169.74
Dec.	7, 1912	Mullins, Simon, Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	144.85	24.89	250	169.74
Mar.	17, 1908	Nesmith, J. Y., Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	2.57	3.37	2.50	3.44
April	17, 1936	Northern Y. Fund, Cemetery .....	Manchester Savings Bank .....	100.00	11.30	3.68	3.00	11.98
May	13, 1929	Noyes, James M., Cemetery .....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	100.00	100.43	6.05	5.00	101.48
Mar.	5, 1929	Noyes, Benning .....	Amoskeag Savings Bank .....	150.00	24.40	5.29	2.50	27.19
Nov.	13, 1926	Ordway, Library Fund .....	Mechanics Savings Bank .....	100.00	1.91	4.60	3.00	3.51
Mar.	29, 1940	Owens, Minnie C., Cemetery .....	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	500.00	9.64	3.31	3.00	9.95
			Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan .....	100.00	7.34	16.61	15.00	8.95
					10.61	3.61	3.00	11.22

Aug. 9, 1926	Owens, Minnie J., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	4.77	3.41	3.00	5.18
Mar. 16, 1945	Parks, Arnold M., D. Harold	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	3.30	3.38	2.50	4.18
June 12, 1952	Payne, Edward E.,	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	3.27	3.29	3.00	5.56
Oct. 15, 1930	Pearson, View Cemetery Fund	Manchester Savings Bank	310.00	7.67	2.35		10.02
Oct. 14, 1949	Peabody, J. Warren, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.18	3.32	3.00	1.50
Apr. 30, 1952	Perkins & Chase, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	200.00	3.49	6.65	3.00	7.14
May 2, 1950	Perkins & Planders, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	200.00	7.94	6.79	3.00	8.73
June 22, 1940	Pettengill, George M., Cem.	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	5.45	3.45	3.00	5.90
Mar. 29, 1944	Pettengill, R. L., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	96.00	5.31	3.45	3.00	5.76
Nov. 5, 1948	Pillsbury, Charles G., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	350.00	19.36	12.13	8.00	23.49
Sept. 24, 1952	Pillsbury, Rosecrans, W.	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	2.02	3.08	3.00	2.10
Mar. 14, 1952	Plummer, Robert K., Cem.	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	150.00	8.51	9.20	4.50	9.20
Apr. 7, 1932	Plummer, Alfred D., Cemetery	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	.09	3.02	3.00	.11
Jan. 18, 1954	Rav, John E., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	112.20				1.96
June 15, 1950	Reid, Phineas A., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	300.00	26.39	10.69		37.08
Aug. 13, 1951	Reid, Phineas A., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	200.00	6.18	6.75	3.00	9.93
Feb. 1, 1928	Roach & Watts, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	8.63	3.55	3.00	9.18
Oct. 19, 1935	Smith, Charles, Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.91	3.05	3.00	.96
May 23, 1936	Smith, Nelson E., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3.96	3.15	3.00	4.11
Apr. 1, 1923	Smith, C. S., Cemetery	Amoskeag Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	9.58	3.57	3.00	10.15
Mar. 25, 1925	Smith, Henry C., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	15.76	3.51	2.00	17.27
Jan. 31, 1923	Smith, Nathan S., Cemetery	Amoskeag Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	3.00	3.31	3.00	3.36
Aug. 11, 1952	Snow, Henry	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	.48			
May 1, 1919	Stone, James A., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	4.97	3.03	3.00	5.38
Apr. 13, 1921	Storey, Clara A., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	16.73	3.41	3.00	17.26
Oct. 14, 1927	Tenney, Warren P., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	14.76	4.07	3.00	15.83
Aug. 30, 1920	Ticomb, Charles K., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	5.78	3.21	3.00	5.99
Jan. 31, 1919	Towne, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	64.32	5.37	5.00	64.69
Jan. 23, 1950	Watts, George Alvah, Cem.	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.72	3.35	3.00	2.07
Mar. 31, 1956	Watts, Freeman C., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	1.36	3.07	3.00	1.43
June 30, 1947	Watts, Herman	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	.69	.69	3.31	1.00
Apr. 30, 1952	Webster, Starr	Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	7.08	6.26		13.34
Aug. 26, 1924	Webster, Martha M., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	8.85	3.55	3.00	9.40
Feb. 28, 1910	Weatherbee, John H., Cem.	Manchester Savings Bank	200.00	3.73	6.70	6.00	4.43
Mar. 22, 1930	White, Ruben, Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	9.01	3.56	3.00	9.57
May 26, 1944	Whorf, John M., Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.33	3.33	3.00	1.66
Nov. 19, 1948	Wiley, Ephraim, Cemetery	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	.60	.60	3.31	.91
Aug. 4, 1924	Wiley, Ariana M., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	14.67	3.74	3.00	15.41
Jan. 26, 1948	Wing, Seth G.	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	1.85	3.35	3.00	2.20
Oct. 25, 1934	Woodburn, John, Cemetery	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	1.01	3.05	3.00	1.06
Apr. 3, 1924	Wychoff, Willie E., Cemetery	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	5.79	3.19	3.00	5.98
Mar. 25, 1926	Wychoff, Joseph, Cemetery	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	2.03	3.09	5.00	.12
Nov. 1, 1901	Young, Charles E., Cemetery	Manchester Fed. Savings & Loan	100.00	10.38	3.61	3.00	10.99
July 13, 1951	Young, Wesley J.,	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	.31	.31	3.00	.60
Apr. 21, 1934	Yeaton, Rovena J., Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3.90	3.15	2.50	4.55
Grand Totals			\$32,579.95	\$3,509.06	\$1,123.62	\$822.86	\$3,809.82

G. MOODY CURRIER  
JOHN E. RAY  
MILFORD E. NOYES  
Trustees

## TRUST FUNDS

Amount Received	\$822.86
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### PAYMENTS

Glenwood Cemetery Association	\$35.00
Londonderry School District	91.36
Treasurer Library Trustees	75.00
Town of Londonderry, Treasurer	621.50

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\$822.86

## CARE OF CEMETERIES

### PAYMENTS

Paid—

W. S. York	\$ 57.70
J. W. Hamlin	370.40
Kenneth Hill	348.55
Roy Avery	85.00
Greenlands Service	8.68
Keenan	10.00
Pellenz Bros.	3.24
Alexander Florist	5.90
Town of Londonderry, Gravel	15.00
John E. Ray, Care and Expenses	65.00

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\$969.47

### RECEIPTS

Received of—

Glenwood Association	\$403.52
Trust Funds	455.50
Individuals	54.50

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\$913.52

Balance Paid By Town

55.95

List of Individual Payments

Fannie Watts	\$ 2.50
Kimball, lot	3.00
Mrs. Russell MacDougal	5.00
Mrs. Arthur Evans	5.00
Fred Annis, lot	2.50
Fred Johnson	10.50
Charles Hall	3.00
Webster, lot	2.50
Fling, lot	2.50
Baker, lot	3.00
Martin L. Moore, lot	3.00
Mark Morrison, lot	5.00
Arthur Holmes	4.00
Mrs. Dinsmore, Fling lot	3.00

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\$54.50

Individual Payments in Glenwood Cemetery

Turned Over to Association

John E. Ray	\$ 2.50
Barker, lot	3.00
Mack, lots	10.00
Gertrude Greeley	2.50
Whittemore, lot	2.50
Town lot	3.00

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\$23.50

## LEACH LIBRARY TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1954 to January 1, 1955

### Dr.

Cash on Hand January 1, 1954	\$131.73
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#### Received:

Town Appropriation	150.00
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Trust Funds	75.00
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Couples Club	78.75
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Interest	.56
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Silver Coffee	15.00
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\$451.04

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Paid Purchasing Committee for	
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Books and Magazines	\$243.04
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Silver Coffee, Speaker and Costs	15.00
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Balance, Cash on hand January 7, 1955	193.00
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\$451.04

BETTY KIBBE

Library Trustee Treasurer

## LEACH LIBRARY REPORT—1954

Number of books in library 3018

Number of books loaned :

Adults

Fiction 535

Non-fiction 151

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Total 686

Children 3971

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Total 4657

Income :

Cash on hand January 1, 1954 \$1.87

Received from overdue books and sale of  
discarded books 26.22

Spent for supplies and books 23.35

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Cash on hand January 1, 1955 \$4.74

CHARLOTTE L. SMITH

Librarian

## Leach Library Trustees

- Dist. 1 Marion Goggins, 1957
- Dist. 2 Ann Buttrick, 1955
- Dist. 3 Betty Kibbe, 1956
- Dist. 4 Margaret McLane, 1955
- Dist. 5 Helen Plummer, 1955
- Dist. 6 Ruth Watts, 1957
- Dist. 7 Myrtle Wing, 1957
- Dist. 8 Helen Reynolds, 1956
- Dist. 9 Inez Paul, 1956

## Officers

Margaret McLane—chairman  
Helen Reynolds—secretary  
Elizabeth Kibbe—treasurer

## Budget Committee

Daniel F. Hicks, Chairman  
Charles L. Severance  
Roy P. Avery  
Fred H. Smith  
Wallace P. Mack, Jr.  
Draper W. Parmenter  
Charles Hall  
George Thibeault

# **School Report**

of the

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LONDONDERRY**

**FOR THE PERIOD FROM**

**July 1, 1953 to June 30, 1954**

**TOGETHER WITH THE**

**SCHOOL BOARD'S PROPOSED BUDGET**

**FOR**

**July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956**

# SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LONDONDERRY

Moderato

WALLACE P. MACK, JR.

Clerk

CHARLOTTE S. SMITH

Treasurer

MYRTLE P. WING

School Board

ALFRED F. CONNER, Chairman

HELEN B. SOUCY

DONALD E. KIDDER

Superintendent of Schools

EVERTON H. PARKINSON

School Nurse

RAE SIVES

Attendance Officer

FRED SMITH

# TEACHERS UNDER APPOINTMENT

Grade	Name	Training	Salary
1	Jones, Violet	Keene T. C.	\$2,650.00
1-2	Pounder, Marion	Plymouth T. C.	2,400.00
2	Kirste, Allegra	Keene T. C.	2,550.00
2	Watts, Fannie	Keene T. C.	2,550.00
3	Janosz, Mildred	Keene T. C.	2,650.00
3	Pinard, Helen	Wheelock	2,700.00
4	Hurley, Helen	Plymouth T. C.	2,550.00
5-6	Walsh, Ruth	Keene T. C.	2,650.00
6-7	Donahue, Ita	Emmanuel College	2,400.00
7-8	Walsh, John	Keene T. C.	3,500.00

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

September 1954 to June 1955

1954

First Period:

Opens Wednesday, Sept. 8

Closes Thursday, Dec. 23

1955

Second Period:

Opens Monday, Jan. 3

Closes Friday, Feb. 18

Third Period:

Opens Monday, Feb. 28

Closes Friday, April 22

Fourth Period:

Opens Monday, May 2

Closes at the end of  
180 school days

## Tentative Calendar

September 1955 to June 1956

1955

First Period:

Opens Wednesday, Sept. 7

Closes Thursday, Dec. 22

1956

Second Period:

Opens Tuesday, Jan. 8

Closes Friday, Feb. 17

Third Period:

Opens Monday, Feb. 27

Closes Friday, April 20

Fourth Period:

Opens Monday, April 30

Closes at the end of  
180 school days

## SCHOOL WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Londonderry, N. H. qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall in said district on the 12th day of March, 1955 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following:

By vote of the School Board, the polls for this meeting will remain open from ten o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon and as much longer thereafter as the School District, at the opening of the meeting may vote. The Warrant articles to be taken up at 1 o'clock.

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in the Warrant.
7. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

8. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00, for immediate use to defray the cost of furnishing the additional room and paying the teachers salary and pass any vote relating thereto.

9. To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive, in the name of the District, such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the U. S. Government and/or State Agencies.

10. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to negotiate a tuition contract with receiving secondary schools and pass any vote relating thereto.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at Londonderry this 24th day of February, 1955.

ALFRED F. CONNER  
HELEN B. SOUCY  
DONALD E. KIDDER

**School Board**

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ALFRED F. CONNER  
HELEN B. SOUCY  
DONALD E. KIDDER

**School Board**

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**LONDONDERRY**

**SCHOOL BUDGET**

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# LONDONDERRY SCHOOL BUDGET

Payments Item	Appropriated 1953-54	Expended 1953-54	Appropriated School Board's Budget 1954-55	Budget 1955-56
Administration				
Salaries of district officers .....	\$382.50	\$364.00	\$382.50	\$364.00
Superintendent's salary (local share) .....	675.45	675.45	561.28	596.10
Tax for state wide supervision .....	648.00	668.00	690.00	812.00
Salaries of administrative personnel .....	369.72	369.72	586.30	607.21
Supplies and Expenses	319.31	331.81	434.55	518.03
Instruction				
Teachers salaries .....	23,906.48	24,252.67	26,477.80	29,857.20
Books and other instructional aids .....	500.00	665.52	600.00	675.00
Scholars' supplies .....	500.00	1,018.87	1,000.00	1,100.00
Supplies and other expenses .....	200.00	257.14	200.00	200.00
Operation of School Plant				
Salary of custodian .....	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,500.00	1,800.00
Fuel .....	1,100.00	1,681.82	1,500.00	1,500.00
Light and janitor supplies .....	700.00	916.62	900.00	950.00
Maintenance of School Plant				
Repairs and replacements .....	500.00	598.51	500.00	500.00

Auxiliary Activities				
Health supervision .....	550.00	421.95	450.00	480.00
Transportation .....	7,900.00	7,910.90	8,200.00	8,200.00
Tuition—high school .....	21,725.00	19,688.89	26,600.00	31,930.00
Tuition—elementary .....	190.00		190.00	
Special activities and special funds .....	500.00	1,108.75	500.00	300.00
Fixed Charges				
Retirement .....	1,301.14	1,562.33	1,775.51	2,017.63
Insurance, treas, bonds and expenses .....	250.00	571.18	400.00	225.00
Total Current Expenses .....	63,417.60	64,264.13	73,447.94	82,632.17
Capital Outlay				
New Equipment .....	1,250.00	932.52	450.00	500.00
Total Capital Outlay .....	1,250.00	932.52	450.00	500.00
Debt and Interest				
Principal of debt .....	4,500.00	4,500.00	8,500.00	8,500.00
Interest on debt .....	1,618.75	2,221.25	2,650.05	2,429.25
Total Debt and Interest .....	6,118.75	6,721.25	11,150.05	10,929.25
Total expenditures or school appropriations .....	70,786.35	71,917.90	85,047.99	94,061.42

# BUDGET—Continued

Income	Appropriated 1953-54	Actual 1953-54	Appropriated School Board's 1954-55	Budget 1955-56
Cash on hand .....		\$998.21		
School Lunch .....		949.60		
State Aid .....	\$9,995.30	9,995.30	\$14,037.68	\$14,000.00
Trust Funds .....		91.59		90.00
Notes and Bonds .....		39,000.00		
Others .....		790.21		
Total receipts other than Property Taxes .....	9,995.30	51,824.91	14,037.68	14,090.00
District assessment raised or to be raised by Property Taxes	60,791.05	60,779.06	71,010.31	79,971.42
Total appropriation voted by School District .....	\$70,786.35	\$112,603.97	\$85,047.99	\$94,061.42

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

July 1, 1953 to June 30, 1954

### INCOME

National School Lunch	\$949.60
State Aid	9,995.30
Local Taxation	60,779.06
Other Sources	
Trust Funds	91.59
Notes or Bonds	39,000.00
Other	790.21
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Total net receipts from all sources	\$111,605.76
Cash on hand July 1, 1953	998.21
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Grand Total Net Receipts	\$112,603.97

### PAYMENTS

#### Administration

#### Salaries of district officers:

Helen Soucy	\$125.00
Donald Kidder	90.00
Alfred Conner	90.00
Myrtle Wing	25.00
Lucy Parmenter	10.00
Mabel Plummer	10.00
Daniel Hicks	2.00
Charles Hall	2.00
Wallace Mack	5.00
Charlotte Smith	5.00
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	\$364.00

Superintendents' Salary (Local Share)	\$675.45
Tax for State Wide Supervision	668.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	369.72
Supplies and Expenses	331.81

## Instruction

### Teachers' salaries :

Barbara Boss	\$1,438.96
Helen Hurley	1,958.17
Mildred Janosz	1,832.88
Violet Jones	2,029.15
Allegra Kirste	1,645.44
Helen Pinard	2,067.46
John Walsh	2,789.42
Ruth Walsh	1,954.02
Fannie Watts	1,777.06
Margaret McLane	148.00
Rinehart Handwriting System	375.00
N. H. & Vt. Hosp'l. Service	160.00
Hazel Hicks	484.00
Ruth Watts	20.00
Marion Anderson	10.00
Esther Clark	35.00
Edna Parkinson	410.00
Supervisory Union No. 10 (Music Supervisors salary & Teachers Association dues)	956.13
Director of Internal Revenue (Withholding)	1,265.20
First National Bank (Withholding)	1,307.50
Teachers Retirement (Teachers Share)	1,589.28

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\$24,252.67

Books and Other Instructional Aids	\$665.52
Scholars' Supplies	1,018.87
Supplies and Other Expenses	257.14

### Operation of School Plant :

Salaries of Custodian	1,200.00
Fuel	1,681.82

### Water, light, supplies and expenses :

Benson Lumber Co.	\$ 5.80
N. H. Electric Co.	774.68

W. Ralston	2.11
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	6.43
Manchester Paper Supply Co.	37.04
L. H. Pillsbury & Son	5.27
Milton Bradley Co.	64.08
Hillyard Sales Co.	17.67
George Plummer	3.54

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\$916.62

#### Maintenance of School Plant

##### Repairs and replacements:

Benson Lumber Co.	\$13.69
David Hicks	78.00
David Davison	116.40
Hillyard Sales Co.	241.77
Stevens Garage	10.20
Frank Sawyer	23.20
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	18.05
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange	38.99
Miron A. Welch	7.44
Moore's Trucking	7.00
Thomas Boyden	6.75
William M. Cole	17.02
George Plummer	20.00

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\$598.51

##### Auxiliary Activities:

Health Supervision	\$421.95
Transportation	7,910.90
Tuition—high school	19,475.54
Tuition—elementary	213.35
Special Activities	114.15
School Lunch (Federal & District Funds Only)	994.60

##### Fixed Charges:

Retirement (Town's Share)	1,562.33
Insurance, Treas. Bonds and Expenses	571.18

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Total Net Current Expenses 64,264.13

Capital Outlay:

Additions and Improvements to Buildings	40,006.46
New Equipment	932.52

Debt and interest:

Principal of Debt	4,500.00
Interest on Debt	2,221.25

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Total Net Payments for all Purposes	111,924.36
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Cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1954)	679.61
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Grand Total Payments	\$112,603.97
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## REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year July 1, 1953 to June 30, 1954

Cash on Hand July 1, 1953

(Treasurer's bank balance) \$998.21

Received from Selectmen

Current Appropriation \$60,779.06

Received from State Treasurer

State Aid 9,995.30

Hot Lunch 949.60

Received as Income from Trust Funds 91.59

Received from sale of notes & bonds 39,000.00

Received from all Other Sources 790.21

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Total Receipts 111,605.76

Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year

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(Balance and Receipts) 112,603.97

Less School Board orders Paid 111,924.36

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Balance on Hand June 30, 1954

(Treasurer's Bank Balance) \$679.61

MYRTLE P. WING

District Treasurer

July 13, 1954

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Londonderry, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1954, and find them correct in all respects.

DANIEL F. HICKS

OSCAR M. THOMPSON

Auditors

July 13, 1954

## STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

Outstanding at Beginning of Year—	
July 1, 1953	\$67,000.00
Issued During Year	39,000.00
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Total	106,000.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	4,500.00
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Notes and Bonds Outstanding at end of Year,	
June 30, 1954	\$101,500.00

## SCHOOL LUNCH REPORT

1953-54

Receipts:	
Cash on hand July 1, 1953	\$189.63
Sale of lunches—Children	2,600.03
Sale of lunches—Adults	19.40
Reimbursement	807.35
P. T. A.	108.30
Misc. (recess milk)	74.96
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Total receipts	\$3,799.67
Expenditures	
Food	\$1,963.44
Labor	640.00
Equipment	131.06
Misc. (recess milk, storage, transportation bank service charges, napkins etc.)	265.91
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	3,000.41
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Cash on hand June 30, 1954	799.26
Accounts receivable	142.25
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Total balance	\$941.51
Total number of lunches served to children	20,155
Total number of lunches served to adults	85
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Total number of lunches served	20,240

# ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE REPORT

1953-54

No. pupils tested	Defects found	No. pupils seen or treated
Vision	238	20
Heights	250	8
Weights	250	
First Aid		20
Teeth	100	42
Tonsils	15	
Home visits		10
Vaccinations and Communicable Diseases		
No. successfully vaccinated		238
Chicken pox		10
Measles		2
Whooping cough		3
Mumps		8
Pediculosis		8
Impetigo		1
Scarletina		1
Clinics and Special Referrals		
Flouride treatment		203
Orthopedic		2
Preschool pupils examined		23

MARTHA D. HURD, R. N.

School Nurse

June 16, 1954

# SUPERVISORY UNION BUDGET 1954-55

The Supervisory Union Board voted to appropriate \$21,801.97, including \$5,000.00 as the State's share of the Superintendents' and Helping teacher's salaries, for the operation of the Union. The distribution of the Union's share of \$16,801.97 among the constituent districts is indicated below:

	Total	State's Share	Union's Share	District's Share			
				Auburn	Chester	Derry	Londonderry Windham
Supt. Salary -----	\$6,425.00	\$2,500.00	\$3,925.00	%9.6	%8.1	%56.5	%14.3 %11.5
Supt. travel within Union -----	600.00		600.00	\$376.80	\$317.93	\$2,217.62	\$561.28 \$451.37
Helping teacher's salary -----	3,500.00	2,500.00	1,000.00	57.60	48.60	339.00	85.80 69.00
Helping teacher's travel -----	500.00		500.00	96.00	81.00	565.00	143.00 115.00
Office Staff Salary -----			2,600.00	43.00	40.50	282.50	71.50 57.50
Prof. Staff Salary, Nurse -----			2,800.00	249.60	210.60	1,469.00	371.80 299.00
				%0	%9.0	%62.5	%15.7 %12.8
					252.00	1,750.00	439.60 358.40
				%21.9	%18.7		%32.9 %26.5
Music -----			3,200.00	700.80	598.40		1,052.80 848.00
Other Travel outside the Union -----				20.00	20.00	40.00	20.00 20.00
Retirement -----				59.13	49.90	348.05	88.09 70.84
Rent -----				19.20	16.20	113.00	28.60 23.00
Operational expense -----				100.80	85.05	593.25	150.15 120.75
Nurse's Retirement -----					17.19	119.35	29.98 24.44
				\$1,727.93	\$1,737.37	\$7,836.77	\$3,042.60 \$2,457.30

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Londonderry School Board:

I herewith submit my thirteenth annual report as superintendent of schools of Londonderry.

### STATISTICAL REPORTS

#### Enrollment

The total enrollment for grades one through eight for the period ending January 31, 1955 was 324 as compared to 306 for the same period last year, 274 two years ago and 252 three years previous.

The membership by grades for January 31, 1955 follows:

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
	43	56	59	33	29	32	33	28	313

The number of Londonderry pupils who were in attendance at high school on January 31, 1955 may be seen from the following:

School	Grades				Total
	9	10	11	12	
Hudson			6	2	8
Nashua		1			1
Lowell		1			1
Hood	16				16
Pinkerton		13	22	14	49
Manchester	2	6	2	2	12
Totals	18	21	30	18	87

#### Statistics for the School Year Ending June 30, 1954

Total registration	317
Half days schools were in session	354
Average membership	287.5
Average attendance	269.3
Per cent of attendance	93.7
Pupils transported at district expense	300

Graduation exercises were held on Tuesday, June 15, 1954. Twenty-five pupils received certificates following appropriate exercises presented by the graduates, under the direction of the teachers. Those who completed the eighth grade were:

Maryjane Bennett	William G. Kimball
Robert A. Boulter	Albert A. Lee
Beverly A. Boyle	Mary Jane Lemieux
Donald J. Bourassa	Bernard C. Manning
Trudy D. Conner	Lewis Y. Nelson
Gerald R. Cote	Peter N. Plummer
Irene T. Cote	Robert A. Plummer
Rita M. Cote	James A. Pratt
Dorothy A. Currier	Eunice M. Rand
Richard S. Drouin	Jean M. Rix
Herbert Hanson, Jr.	Wilson A. Sanborn
Agnes Jackitis	Bonnie Dee Van Buren
Steven L. Vosburgh	

Grade Increase	25	27	37	15	11	19	13	14	161
	Elementary								Total
1-31-1955	43	56	59	33	29	32	33	28	313
1-31-1954	53	47	40	27	32	27	30	25	281
1-31-1953	47	40	32	30	29	29	31	32	261
1-31-1952	39	27	37	27	30	29	18	27	234
1-31-1951	27	36	29	30	36	20	27	29	234
1-31-1950	36	30	30	28	20	31	30	21	226
1-31-1949	33	25	23	26	30	28	21	17	203
1-31-1948	17	30	29	33	24	15	16	14	178
1-31-1947	23	21	30	22	15	17	15	17	160
1-31-1946	18	29	22	18	18	13	20	14	152
	Secondary								Totals
1-31-1955	18	21	30	18	87				
1-31-1954	21	30	18	13	82				
1-31-1953	26	19	13	13	71				
1-31-1952	21	13	13	13	60				
1-31-1951	17	12	10	12	51				
1-31-1950	16	11	17	9	53				
1-31-1949	12	17	9	13	51				
1-31-1948	17	13	11	5	46				
1-31-1947	12	11	11	13	47				
1-31-1946	15	7	10	11	43				

The above charts indicate that the problems faced by the district in the past 10 years have been serious. Housing,

transportation, teaching personnel, and finances are all affected by increases in enrollment.

The chart on elementary enrollment indicates that enrollments have been increased in two ways in the district. The first is a nation wide trend. Our increased birth rate, in part, has caused a general increase in school population. This is indicated in the increased enrollment per grade. The total increase is 161 over the enrollment of 10 years ago. The fact that 89 more pupils are enrolled in the primary grades is indicative of the problem that is in the immediate future. With 158 children in three grades a minimum of 5 teachers are required and it would probably be preferable to have 6. If continued, it would require providing additional classroom space to house the enrollment adequately.

In addition as the groups have advanced through the grades, the enrollments have generally increased because of new families moving into town. The two phenomena combined have produced the resulting enrollment which is more than doubled that of 1946.

The housing problem has been met as far as current enrollment is concerned. It is possible to create an additional room by erecting another partition as was formerly done. This would permit approximately another 10% increase in enrollment. Beyond that a housing problem would again become a possibility.

The transportation problem, of course, increases as school population increases. The number of pupils transported for 1953-54 was 300 which is almost twice the whole enrollment of 10 years ago. Part of this transportation load is due to centralization but the increased school population would also cause an increase.

Teacher personnel must also be increased to meet the needs of such an increase in enrollment. Although the enrollment has doubled the staff has increased by only 2/3. The supervisory union staff has increased in both instructional and supervisory levels to meet the demand of increased enrollments in all districts.

All of these areas seriously affect the total cost of educating the children of the district at the elementary level.

The financial problem is further accentuated by providing for the secondary education of the district's young people.

The secondary enrollment shows the same general trend as does the elementary enrollment. The current secondary enrollment is 225% greater than 10 years ago with a potential enrollment for '55-'56,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  times as large as '45-'46. Numerically the increase is anticipated to be approximately 60 pupils. With the current enrollments at elementary level the number of secondary pupils will increase as the larger elementary classes reach high school. This is important from the point of view of district finance. Another contributing factor to the increased secondary load is the change in age of compulsory attendance to 16 years of age. Although a district not maintaining a high school is not directly affected, the labor hiring policies of corporations employing young people affect such districts indirectly in areas where the districts are contiguous to urban areas. The enrollment at secondary level is thus affected by a factor in addition to those affecting elementary enrollment when compared with past enrollment figures.

The increase in tuition rate in the past ten years has also been a factor in the cost of educating the youth of any community that sends its secondary youth to high schools in neighboring communities. This factor will be considered at greater length later in the report.

## PERSONNEL

The district had only one replacement and one new teacher. In the current situation the retention of such a proportion of the staff is good for the pupils.

The staff is composed of teachers adequately trained and with only one exception several years of experience. The children profit where the staff is as well prepared both professionally and by experience as is currently true. The addition of a full time music instructor in instrumental music in Derry released time so the music instruction was returned to more nearly its former status. With the increased number of pupils and rooms the time per class room is less although the total time spent in the school is increased.

The handwriting instruction program has been continued and is producing valuable results. The legibility and neatness

of written work make it a desirable feature of our educational program.

The work of the teachers is worthy of commendation. They are striving to improve themselves by attendance at summer school and at extension courses. They also make an effort to be present most of the time so that the work of the school is kept at a high level of efficiency.

The use of and supervision of the play area has been so fine that it is worthy of commendation. Incidentally, the play area is one of the best equipped in the state. The amount and types of equipment available make it possible for all the children to be engaged in wholesome recreational activity at one and the same time. Since the children can all be accommodated at once, the incidence of accidents has been slight. The use of the town hall for basketball has made it less difficult for the boys and girls to adjust to the program, curricula and extra curricula, of the various high schools they attend.

The program of the schools with the current staff has met quite well the needs of children both curricula and extra curricula. The music and physical educational (recreational) program have aided immeasurably in eliminating many problems. All of this is due to the cooperation and conscientious efforts of all members of the staff.

## PROGRAM

The action of the legislature in providing funds to make available to the larger supervisory unions a helping teacher is paying dividends in Supervisory Union No. 10. One of the 5 largest unions in terms of pupils and teachers in the state the services of a helping teacher have coordinated the classroom work from grade to grade so that pupils can progress more rapidly.

The book purchases this year have replaced in the lower grades readers that have been in use over the past 15 years with the revised edition. The experiences of this period enabled the editors to improve certain phases of the reading program. The revision is extending through the intermediate grades during the current year and the program of replacing current texts of copyright date of 11-12-15 years ago should be extended to include these grades.

The social studies program is in the process of shifting to the present recommended program. At 4th grade level an emphasis on local and state history and geography will, it is believed, prove to be both more interesting and more informative as far as local and state affairs are concerned.

The constant expansion of the curriculum by inclusion of additional new material makes it difficult within the current time allotments to carry on the whole program without all the instructional aids possible. The use of textbooks, maps, charts and other visual aids to a greater extent is advisable from the viewpoint of both pupil and teacher. The learning process becomes more efficient as more visual aids are used.

### FINANCES

The budget shows an overall increase of \$9,013.43. The areas responsible for the increase are primarily two, instruction and auxiliary activities. Both are influenced by increases in enrollments.

Instructional costs are increased by some \$3,554.40. The necessity of adding a teacher plus increases for the staff is responsible for the increase in this area. The average salary paid in the district is still below the average paid on a state wide basis.

The other area, auxiliary activities, shows an increase of \$4,970.00. This is due entirely to the increase in the item high school tuition. The current legal liability of the district is \$300 per pupil. This is due to increase, possibly as much as 10%, for the year 1955-56. The high school enrollment is potentially 100, an increase of 10 pupils. With an increased enrollment and an increased tuition rate the gross increase is understandable.

The increase in the area of administrative costs is entirely due to increased enrollment. Per capita tax accounts for half the increase.

The special article is only to defray the expense caused by the opening of another room at primary level. This was imperative due to the number of entering pupils at first grade level.

As was stated in the last several reports the financial problems of schools are going to be solved only when a realistic approach to the problem is made at state level. The obligation of the state should be met so as to alleviate the burden on real property.

The opportunity of serving the pupils of Londonderry is a pleasant task. The townspeople, parents, pupils, board and teachers are motivated by the thought of providing the best educational opportunity possible. With such motivation the problem of accomplishing that result with the facilities available is easier of solution. I appreciate the opportunity of serving under these conditions.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERTON H. PARKINSON

Superintendent of Schools

## BIRTHS

Registered in the Town of Londonderry for the Year  
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| Sept. 26 | Manchester; Kenneth Earl Bloom; Willard E. Bloom; Clara M. Gerrish.          |
| Jan. 28  | East Derry; Darlene Jean Backman; Glen H. Backman; Paulina M. Hall.          |
| June 13  | Manchester; David Arlan Erno; Edward E. Erno; Dora P. St. Laurent.           |
| June 13  | Manchester; Diana Lee Erno; Edward E. Erno; Dora P. St. Laurent.             |
| June 27  | East Derry; Stephen Paul Frink; Theodore C. Frink; Jane M. McDonough.        |
| April 10 | Manchester; Michelle Jeane Fortin; Remi O. Fortin; Cecile E. Marcotte.       |
| Mar. 9   | East Derry; Patricia Mae Gillette; William A. Gillette; Phyllis P. Harriman. |
| Nov. 26  | Manchester; David Alan Hemeon; Howard J. Hemeon, Jr. Ida A. Phelps.          |
| Nov. 17  | East Derry; Dale William Hartop; Winston F. Hartop; Helen L. Kingsbury.      |
| May 1    | Manchester; Deborah Ann Hicks; Paul F. Hicks; Arlene M. Kingsbury.           |
| Sept. 25 | Providence, R. I.; Baby Javor; Stanley Javor; Madine Brown.                  |
| Oct. 6   | Manchester; Dennis James Kowack; Edward Kowack; Theresa A. Martineau.        |
| Aug. 19  | East Derry; Gayle Ann Keith; Mark E. Keith; Marjorie A. Moore.               |
| Sept. 30 | Manchester; Michael Thomas Langton; Joseph A. Langton; Ruth E. Corbin.       |
| Nov. 2   | Manchester; Richard Francois Labrie; Francois O. Labrie; Ruth L. Besse.      |
| Feb. 4   | East Derry; Jane Viola LaFerriere; Donald F. LaFerriere; Henrietta M. Cote.  |
| Apr. 26  | East Derry; Baby Marquis; Arthur J. Marquis, Jr.; Ruth E. Miller.            |
| Oct. 25  | Manchester; Stephen John Massicotte; Maurice J. Massicotte; Mary I. Leslie.  |

- Aug. 23 Manchester; William Alan Perron; Elphege J. Perron; Carmel E. Paquin.
- Aug. 24 Manchester; Mona Gail Paquin; Edmond E. Paquin; Beverly R. Dwinnells.
- June 26 Manchester; Daniel Jeffrey Paul; Henry E. Paul; Inez Oliver.
- Feb. 6 Manchester; Michael Lee Plimpton; Edward L. Plimpton; Janice Kimball.
- Oct. 14 Manchester; Judy Ellen Rheaume; Gerard Rheaume; Virginia C. Rheaume.
- Apr. 27 East Derry; Baby Sanborn; Wilson T. Sanborn; Marie Allen.
- Mar. 8 East Derry; Dawn Rae Sives; John W. Sives; Rae Parmenter.
- Jan. 25 East Derry; Donna Lee Stearns; Walter H. Stearns; Margaret Noyes.
- Sept. 18 Goffstown; Alanson Philip Wood; Lamson C. Wood; Elaine J. Barker.
- June 14 Manchester; Leslie Paul Weymouth; Paul F. Weymouth; Gladys Watts.
- May 26 East Derry; Steven Alan White; Everett L. White; Caroline Parshley.
- Feb. 8 Manchester; Barbara Ann Wing; Malcolm D. Wing; Mary DeGoosh.

## MARRIAGES

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| Feb.  | 27 | Hudson; Wilfred E. Bellavance, Patricia Gosselin; John E. Baker, Hudson, Justice of the Peace.              |
| May   | 31 | Londonderry; Euclide Bourgeois, Lucille Bocash; Roland Belanger, Rochester, Catholic Priest.                |
| Aug.  | 7  | Derry; Robert Bourassa, Suzanne Rousseau; Joseph R. O'Connor, Derry, Catholic Priest.                       |
| Aug.  | 14 | North Swanzy; Paul C. Bubelnyk, Donia M. Bourque; Joseph L. Seymour, Keene, Justice of the Peace.           |
| Sept. | 27 | Londonderry; Francis E. Bruso, Eleanor E. Rolfe; George H. Grinnell, Derry, Justice of the Peace.           |
| Sept. | 4  | Manchester; Edward V. Collins, Dorothy T. Cunningham; George E. Murray, Manchester, Catholic Priest.        |
| July  | 3  | Stratham; Horace V. Densmore, Jr., Catherine A. Healey; Marion T. Brewster, Stratham, Justice of the Peace. |
| Nov.  | 20 | Manchester; Otis L. Ervin, Jean V. Lemire; B. D. Piper, Goffstown, Justice of the Peace.                    |
| Apr.  | 24 | Londonderry; Alton B. Fowler, Murial L. Todd; J. W. King, Londonderry, Clergyman.                           |
| Oct.  | 23 | Derry; Alfred F. Gill, Jr., Shirley Van Dyne; Ralph W. Reynolds, Derry, Minister.                           |
| May   | 15 | Manchester; Dana L. Healey, Carolyn M. Bishop; Ernest L. Sealy, Manchester, Clergyman.                      |
| May   | 22 | Derry; Philippe A. Jacques, Alice V. Bourassa; Joseph R. O'Connor, Derry, Catholic Priest.                  |
| Nov.  | 25 | Derry; Maurice J. Lemire, Jeannette M. Tardiff; Loena F. Harris, Derry; Justice of the Peace.               |
| June  | 12 | Londonderry; David E. McDermott, Mildred Powers; Joseph M. Donahue, Manchester, Catholic Priest.            |
| Mar.  | 21 | Londonderry; Larry McAdams, Jr., Shirley R. Ashley; Bertha Delorey, Nashua, Justice of the Peace.           |

- Sept. 9 Manchester; Alton D. Zink, Jean A. Campbell;  
Ernest L. Seely, Manchester, Clergyman.
- Sept. 11 Londonderry; Leslie B. Nichols, Lucille R. Ca-  
ron; Joseph M. Donahue, Manchester, Catho-  
lic Priest..
- May 15 Derry; Donald E. Prescott, Judith M. Innie;  
Joseph R. O'Connor, Derry, Catholic Priest.
- July 16 East Derry; William W. Severance, Evelyn F.  
Mitchell; Robert W. Henderson, Derry, Cler-  
gyman.
- July 24 Auburn; Alfred H. Trombley, Shirley R. Guay;  
Raymond Langlois, Auburn, Catholic Priest.
- Oct. 7 Londonderry; Donald E. Taintor, Virginia N.  
Beckley; William J. Bednar, Londonderry,  
Minister.
- Jan. 20 Londonderry; Herman X. Wood, Joan R. Rich-  
ardson; Frances H. Geremonty, Londonderry,  
Justice of the Peace.
- June 19 Derry; Donald H. Wickens, Jane G. Griffon;  
William J. Brown, Derry, Episcopal Minister.
- Oct. 4 Mont Vernon; Forrest H. Warren, Phillis B.  
Simonsen; Roy W. Stringfellow, Derring,  
Minister.

## DEATHS

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Jan.	10	Manchester; Fred N. Crosby, 71.
Feb.	6	East Derry; Mabel Coons, 80.
May	19	Londonderry; Grace M. Dyke, 48.
July	11	East Derry; Harriett J. Davenport, 76.
Jan.	18	Manchester; Gertrude E. Floyd, 68.
Feb.	1	East Derry; Fred E. Garvin, 80.
Nov.	11	Londonderry; Mary A. Johnson, 79.
Feb.	1	East Derry; Peter A. LaBrecque, 52.
Mar.	16	Londonderry; Benjamin B. Morrill, 82.
July	1	Londonderry; Frederick E. Moody, 74.
Jan.	6	East Derry; Charles E. White, 63.
Jan.	4	Auburn; Joseph W. Wasson, 68.
Mar.	14	Londonderry; David J. Walsh, 69.
Jan.	13	Concord; Harriette Young, 75.
Nov.	5	Manchester; Wallie C. Young, 91.

## BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL

Jan.	15	Brentwood; Evalena F. Anderson, 85.
Jan.	22	Derry; Andrew Beauregard, 78.
Feb.	6	Derry; Laura O. Bousquet, 67.
Feb.	15	East Derry; Joseph A. Beauchemin, 78.
May	21	Manchester; Ernest E. Berry, 58.
Dec.	9	Derry; William H. Duvarney, 59.
Nov.	30	East Derry; Henry D. Faubert, 60.
Nov.	15	Concord; Olive S. Goodwin, 75.
Dec.	22	Derry; Marie L. A. Guilbeault, 74.
Feb.	4	Lynn, Mass.; Rose T. Griffin, 78.
July	23	Exeter; Leroy S. Hartshorn, 75.
Aug.	25	Concord; Frank C. Maxfield, 91.
Sept.	5	East Derry; Mary E. Murphy, 69.
June	27	East Derry; Margaret S. Manning, 63.
Apr.	26	East Derry; Baby Marquis.
July	24	Derry; Charles E. Nugent, 61.
Oct.	25	Goffstown; Albert Noyes, 62.
Feb.	18	Haverhill, Mass.; Alfred A. Paquette, 77.
Dec.	28	Boston, Mass.; Olivina Routhier, 84.
Oct.	12	East Derry; James E. Sutton, 75.
June	25	Hudson; Laura F. Trow, 92.
Dec.	19	Derry; Waldo C. Tewksbury, 61.
June	1	East Derry; Ida J. Valliere, 72.





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